

REMARKS

The claims are pending for reconsideration, which is requested.

Claims 1-36 and 38 are allowed.

Claim 37 is objected to for being a hybrid claim. Claim 37 is amended. The objection to claim 37 can be withdrawn. Claim 38 is amended to improve clarity. Dependency of dependent claim 29 is changed.

Dependent claims recite patentably distinguishing features of their own, or are at least patentably distinguishing due to their dependencies from the independent claims.

Payment of proper fees have been confirmed/paid, as suggested by the Examiner.

There being no further outstanding objections or rejections, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance.

Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned to attend to these matters.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this response, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,
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